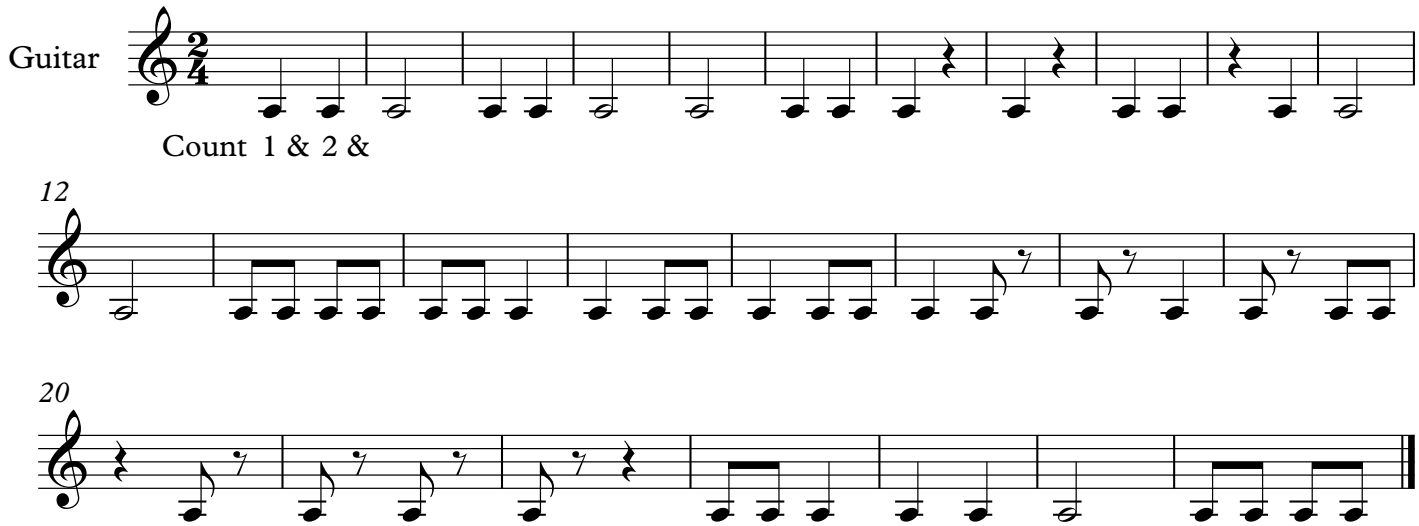Exercise 2.3